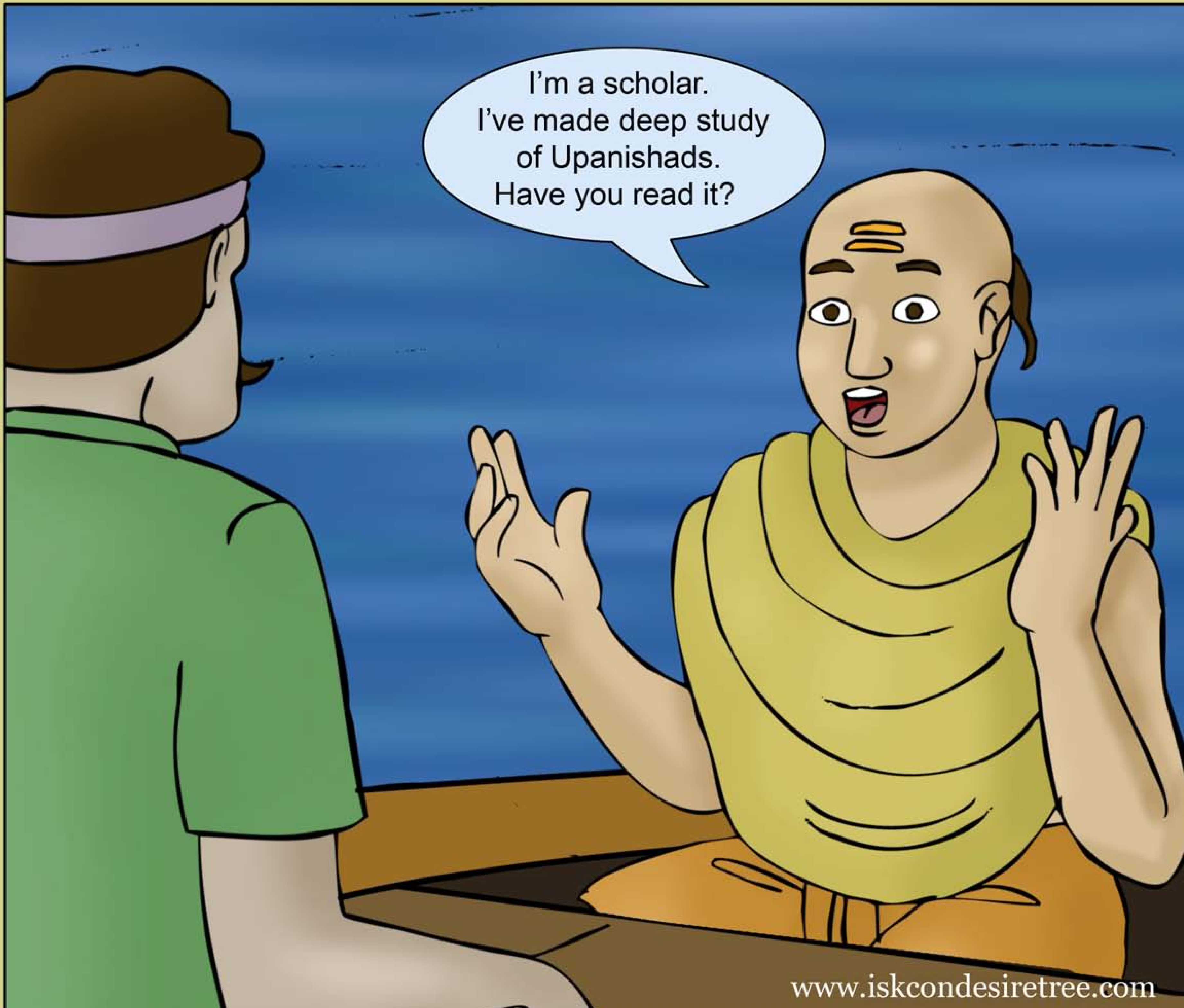

Proud pandit
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One day a pandit was travelling acrooss the Ganges in a boat.
I will talk to one of these fellows to past my time.
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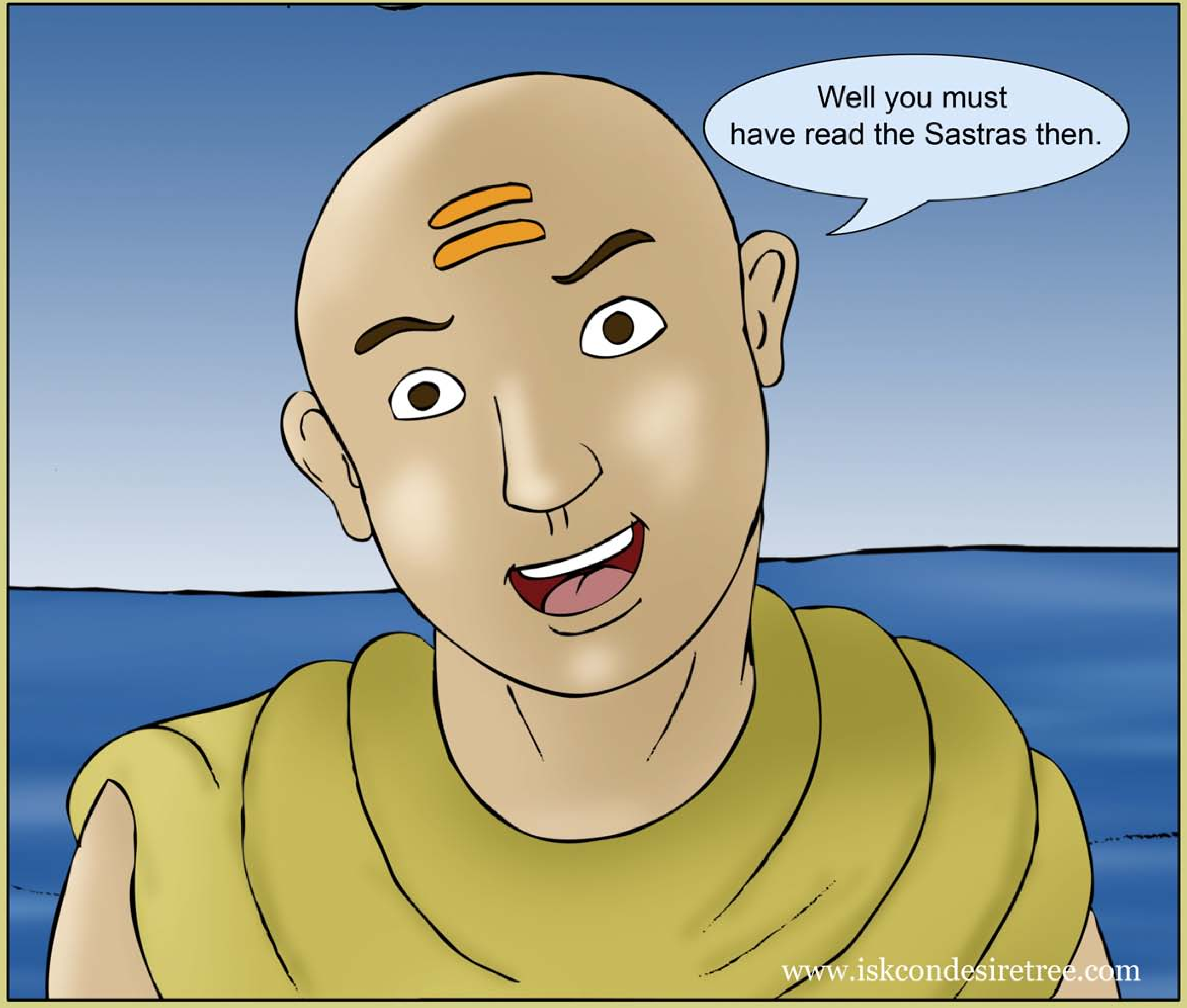

Who are you?
Where have you come from?
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I am a farmer from a village on the other side of the river.
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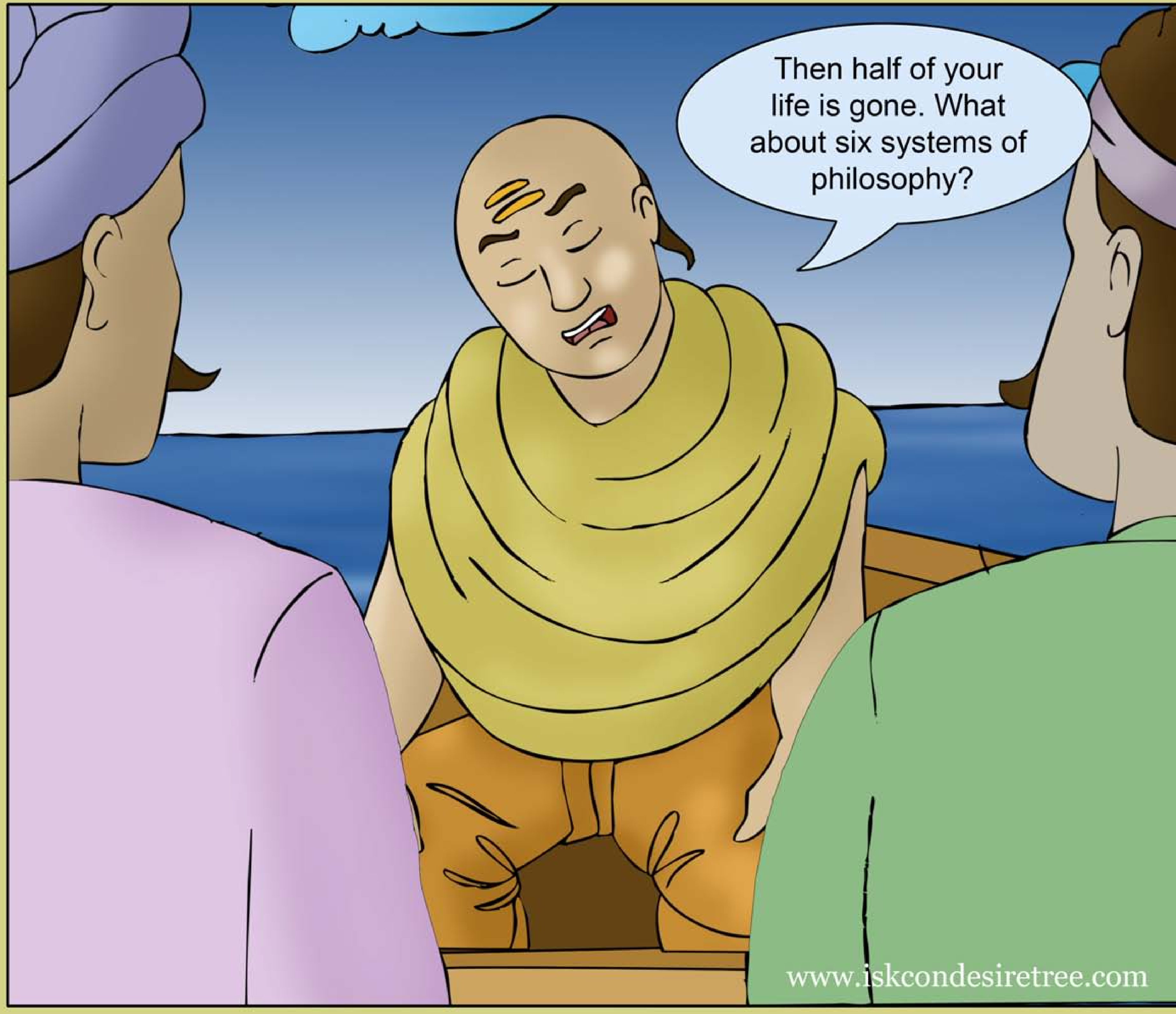

I'm a scholar.
I've made deep study
of Upanishads.
Have you read it?


No sir, I haven't.
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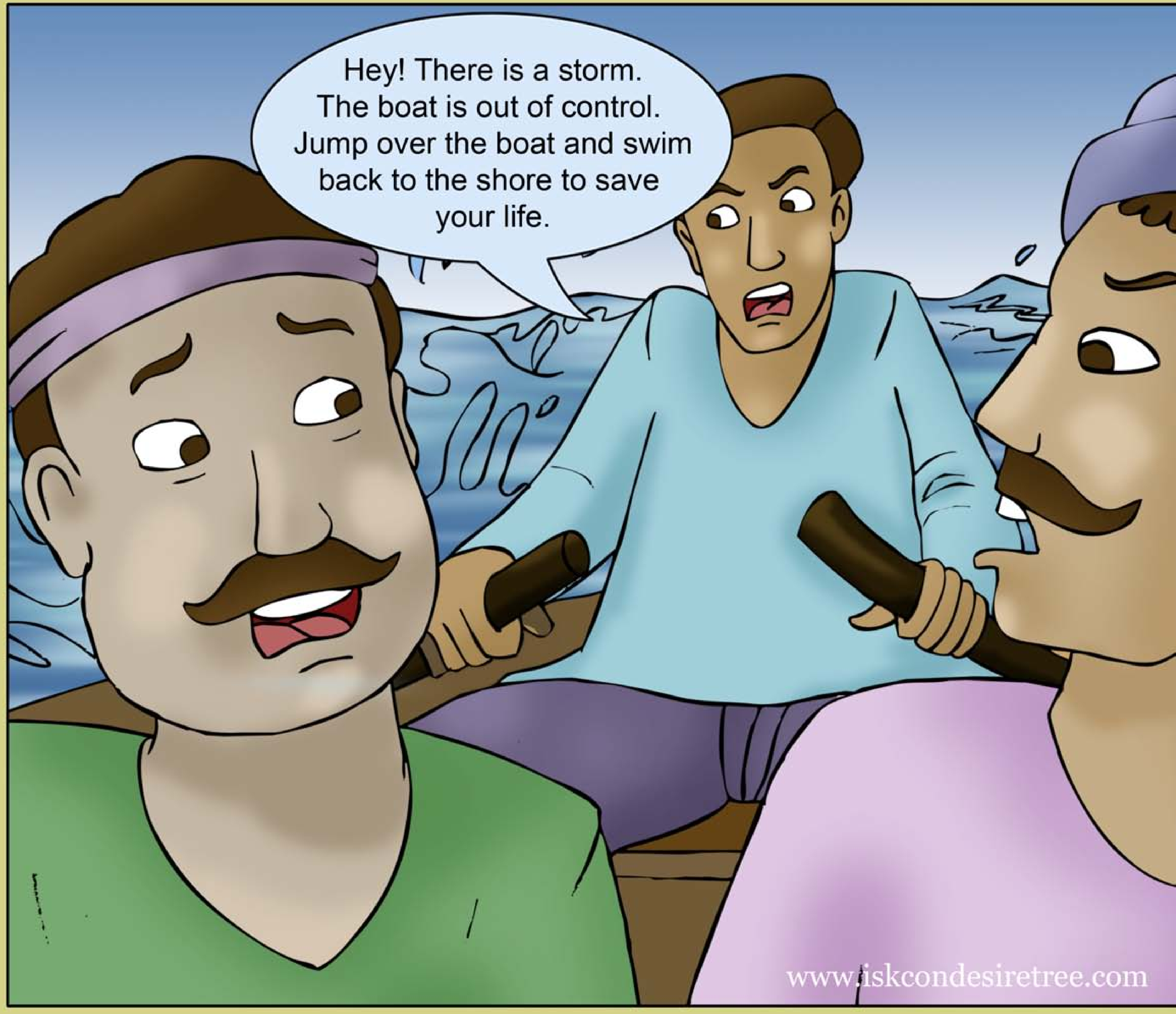

You poor fellow, a quarter of your life has been wasted.
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Well you must have read the Sastras then.
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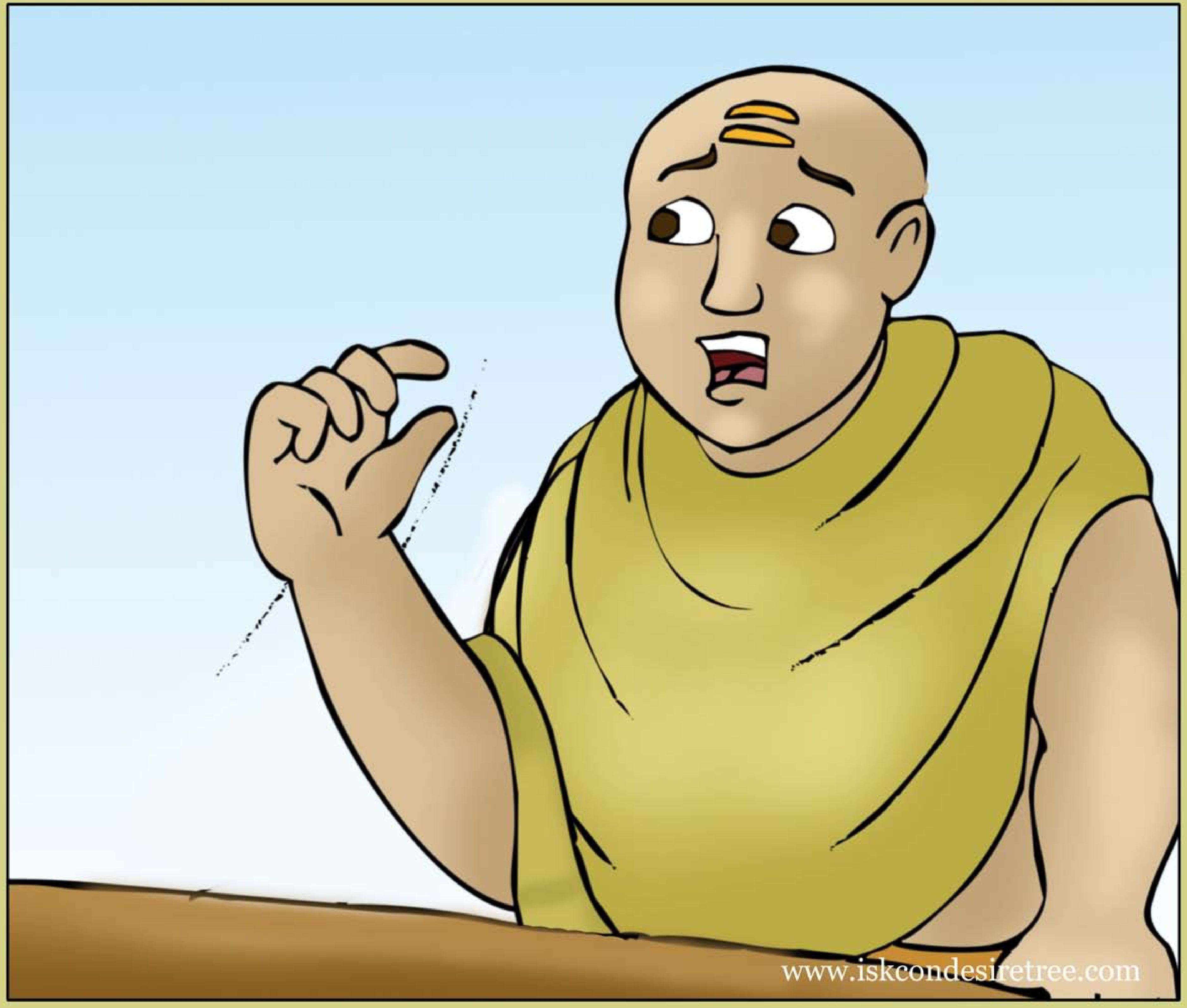

No sir, I can't
say that I have read.

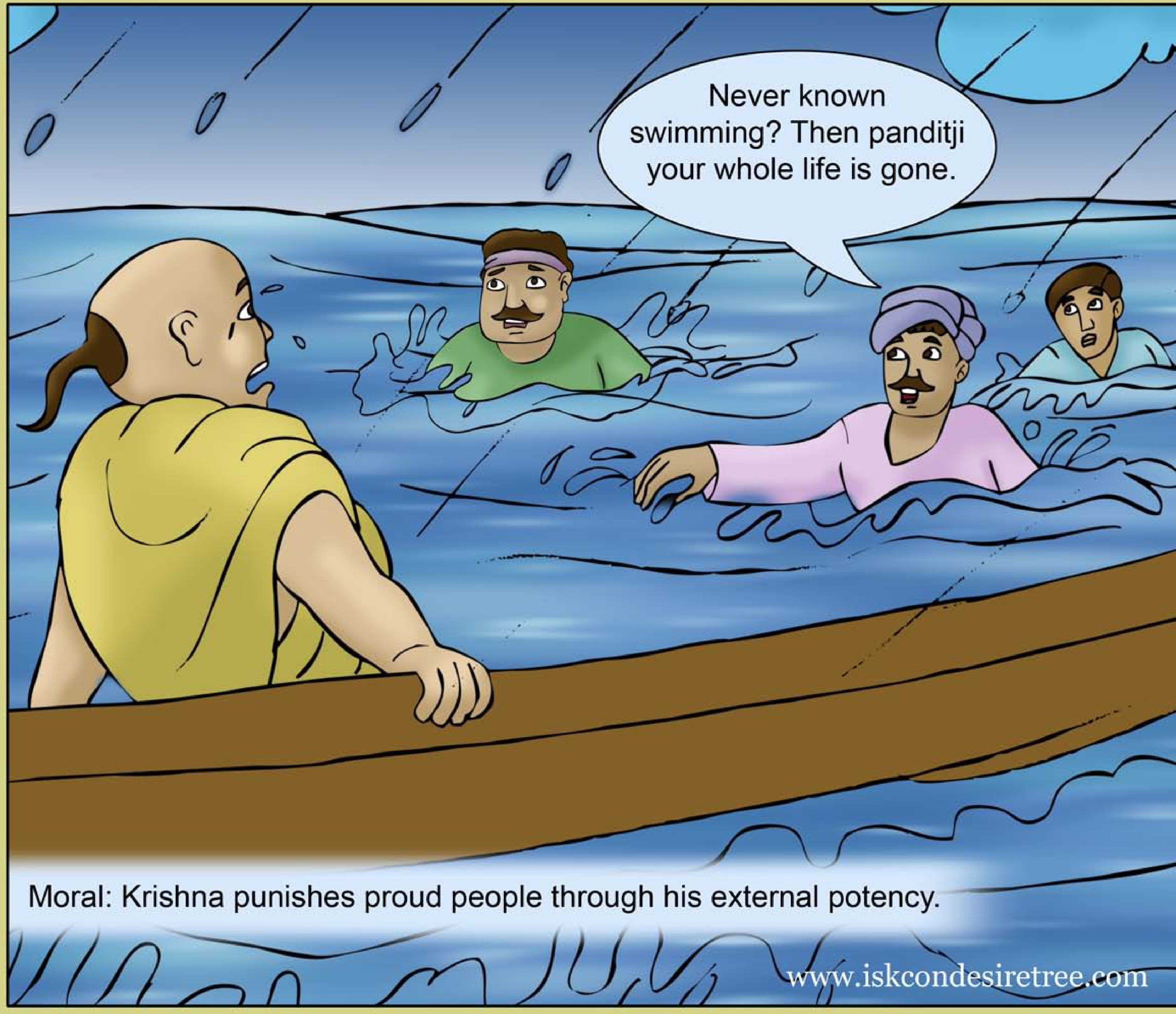

Then half of your life is gone. What about six systems of philosophy?
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No I have not.


Hey! There is a storm. The boat is out of control. Jump over the boat and swim back to the shore to save your life.
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I hope you know how to swim.
No I have never known how to swim in my life.
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Never known swimming? Then panditji your whole life is gone.
Moral: Krishna punishes proud people through his external potency.